

GENERAL INFORMATION

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For those staying in either of our Headquarters Hotels (Marriott or Comfort Suites) please send your form to the Housing Chair. For all other hotels, reservations should be made directly with that hotel.

REHEARSAL SCHEDULE

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 26, 2022

Please be seated in the Grand Chapter Session Room at least fifteen minutes before the start of your practice. Only those participating in the practices at the designated times will be admitted into the Grand Chapter Session Room.

- 8:00 am Emblem Ceremony and Formal Opening**
(Grand Officers, Grand Pages, participants in emblem ceremony)
- 8:30 am Ritualistic Opening** (Grand Officers and Grand Pages)
- 9:30 am Entrance and Retiring Marches**
(Grand Officers, Grand Pages, Deputy Grand Matrons, CA and Visiting Grand Representatives)
- 11:00 am Informal Opening** (Honorary Marshals, Hostess and Host, General Chairmen, Grand Conductress, AGC, Bible Bearer and Escorts, and Emblem Bearers)
- 1:00 pm Flag Presentation** (Flag Bearers)
- 1:30 pm Necrology** (Grand Conductress, AGC, Grand Chaplain, Former Grand Ruths)
- 2:00 pm 2023 Installation Practice** (All Participants including 21/22 and 23 Grand Officers, 21/22 and 23 DGMs, CA and visiting Grand Representatives)
- 3:00 pm Cavalcade of Flags**
(CA and Visiting Grand Representatives)

REGISTRATION

Visalia Convention Center

Tuesday	October 25	1:00 pm - 5:00 pm
Wednesday	October 26	8:00 am - 12:00 pm 1:30 pm - 5:00 pm
Thursday	October 27	8:00 am - 9:30 am 1:00 pm - 2:30 pm
Friday	October 28	8:00 am - 9:00 am 1:00 pm - 2:30 pm
Saturday	October 29	8:00 am - 9:30 am

A one-time registration fee of \$37.50 must be paid prior to attendance at any session of the Grand Chapter, except Informal Opening, Masonic Youth Session, and Installation. If lost, the credential will be replaced for an additional \$37.50. A 2022 dues receipt must be presented to pick up credentials. A validated credential must be presented for all admissions when requested.

Non-members of the Order may attend Informal Opening on Wednesday evening, Masonic Youth Session on Saturday afternoon, and Installation on Saturday evening.

COURTESIES TO DIGNITARIES COMMITTEE

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DISTINGUISHED AND HONORED MEMBERS

Welcome to "2021/22 – Our Moment in Time" Session Distinguished Members (*WGMs, WGP, PGMs, PGP*s) please refer to the Housing letter, complete the Housing Form and submit it to the Housing Chair if you wish to stay in one of the Headquarters Hotels. All requests for Headquarters Hotel housing must be submitted no later than August 1, 2022. Honored Members, please make your hotel reservations directly with one of the hotels listed on the Hotel Information Sheet.

The Grand Chapter of California is pleased to offer a one-night hotel courtesy to each elected General Grand Chapter Grand Line Officer once in each triennium. Please settle your account with the hotel before checking out. Those entitled to a courtesy night should submit their paid bill to the Grand Secretary for the appropriate reimbursement.

Registration for all Distinguished and Honored Members and their escorts will be located in the Credentials Room. Please have your dues card with you when you register.

Please visit our Special Courtesies Room at the Convention Center to enjoy our hospitality.

1873 – 2022

Grand Chapter of California Order of the Eastern Star

We extend to you fraternal greetings
and invite you to attend our

**One Hundred Forty-Eighth
2021/22**

**"Our Moment in Time"
Annual Session**



October 26-29, 2022

Visalia Convention Center
303 E. Acequia Avenue
Visalia, California

For information on area

<https://www.visitvisalia.com/order-of-eastern-star>

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TENTATIVE PROGRAM

You will receive the complete program at Grand Chapter

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 25, 2022

1:00 pm Credentials open

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 26, 2022

8:00 am Credentials and Vendors open
4:30 pm Distinguished Members Dinner
7:00 pm Informal Opening

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 27, 2022

8:00 am Credentials and Vendors open
9:00 am Call to Order
Formal Opening
Annual Reports
Worthy Grand Matron
Worthy Grand Patron
Grand Secretary
Grand Treasurer
Controller
Business, Legislation and Reports
12:00 pm Dist. Guests and Grand Representatives Luncheon
2:00 pm Call to Order
Annual Reports and Presentation of Budgets
Finance Committee
Board of Trustees - Eastern Star Homes
Foundation
Necrology
7:00 pm Fun Night Kick-Off Party!

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 28, 2022

8:00 am Credentials and Vendors open
9:00 am Call to Order
Legislation and Reports
10:00 am Elections - Grand Officers and Trustees of OES Homes
Business, Legislation and Reports
2:00 pm Call to Order (SLC T-shirt and \$5 Jean wear (Fly Brave)
(if you need an SLC T-shirt we will have some for sell at GC)
Senior Living Community Executive Director's Report
Business, Legislation and Reports
6:00 pm State Dinners/Socials

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 29, 2022

8:00 am Credentials and Vendors open
9:00 am Call to Order
Business, Legislation, and Reports
Closing
Farewell Address and Recessional of 21/ 2022 GOs
1:30 pm Masonic Youth Session
7:00 pm Installation of 2023 Grand Officers
Presentation of Past Grand Jewels

SOCIAL EVENTS

All Meal Event Reservations will be made with the **Meal Reservation Form**, available online at [oescal.org/Annual Session/Meal Events](https://oescal.org/AnnualSession/MealEvents)
Deadline for all meal events: OCTOBER 1, 2021
Payment may be made via PayPal or checks in US funds to: **Grand Chapter of California**

DISTINGUISHED MEMBERS DINNER

(WGMs, WGP, PGMs, PGP)

See event flyer online for cost--oescal.org

Wednesday, October 26, 2022

4:30 pm Social 5:30 pm Dinner

Attire: Formal

Contact Person: Don Snyder

tenorplus@aol.com

Distinguished Members to receive additional information via email/US mail

DISTINGUISHED GUESTS AND GRAND REPRESENTATIVES LUNCHEON

"TBD"

See event flyer online for menu and cost--oescal.org

Thursday, October 27, 2022

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Attire: Straight from Session

Contact Person: Karalee Beatie

bkkja@att.net

FUN NIGHT KICK-OFF PARTY!

TBD

See event flyer online for menu and cost--oescal.org

Thursday, October 27, 2022

Time TBD

Attire: TBD

Contact Person: Don Snyder

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Co-chair: Kim Hegg

STATE DINNERS

Friday, October 28, 2022

Meal Reservation Forms online for all State Dinners
[oescal.org/Annual Session/Meal Events](https://oescal.org/AnnualSession/MealEvents)

2021/2022

"TBD"

See event flyer online for menu and cost--oescal.org

6:00 pm Social 7:00 pm Dinner

Attire: Formal

Contact Person: Cherri Whiteley

rainbowpog@aol.com

2023

"TBD"

See event flyer online for menu and cost--oescal.org

6:00 pm Social 6:30 pm Dinner

Attire: TBD

Contact person: Alyson Grant

yosemiteag@aol.com

2024

"TBD"

See event flyer online for menu and cost--oescal.org

6:30 pm Social 7:00 pm Dinner

Attire: TBD

Contact Person: Julie Duty

thedutys@yahoo.com

2025

"TBD"

See event flyer online for menu and cost--oescal.org

6:00 pm Social 6:30 pm Dinner

Attire: TBD

Contact Person: Maggie Baum

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